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GENERATION IN A MOTOR VEHICLE



PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please enter the following amendments to the claim prior to the examination of the application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. A device for electroacoustic sound generation in a motor vehicle, said device comprising:

a sound pressure sensor positioned proximal to or within one of an intake tract and an exhaust tract of the motor vehicle;

a signal processing unit connected to and receives an output of said sound pressure sensor;

a loudspeaker unit having at least one loud speaker wherein said loudspeaker unit is connected to said signal processing unit;

a synthesizer connected with or integral with said signal processing unit whereby synthetic sound components are added to

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